

SHOTS EXCHANGED

ON MOOSEJAW PLATFORM

An American Desperado Resists arrest but is Roused Up all the same

Moose Jaw, December 28.—Two live shots were exchanged on the station platform here to-night between the Mounted Police and an American desperado, named McLean. He defied them when they went to arrest him, and opened fire. The officers returned, one bullet smashing McLean's knee cap. After that, he surrendered but not before, he had emptied his revolver. He was taken to Regina jail.

From the Capital

Ottawa, Ont., December 27.—A. W. Donley, brother of H. B. Donley, who ran against Col. Tisdale at the last general elections in Norfolk, has been appointed commercial agent for the Dominion Government in Mexico. He has been in Mexico for fifteen years, and was recommended for the position by the Canadian Club of Mexico, which is an institution for the promoting of trade with Canada.

There was a small fire in the chapel at Rideau Hall this evening, but the damage was slight.

Business for Steel Works

Ottawa, December 28.—The Sea and Sydney steel works this year will supply two hundred thousand tons of rails to Canadian railways for the first time in the Dominion's history. This means an expenditure of six millions.

Medical Congress at Panama

Baltimore, December 27.—Twenty-two physicians left here to-day on board the steamship Athos bound for Panama as delegates to the fourth Panamerican Medical Congress which will meet in Panama early next month. In the party was Dr. D. A. Shiras, of Montreal, Que. The party will sail on January 7th for Havana, where they will be the guests of the American Public Health Association, which meets January 9th.

Reported Union was Premature

Montreal, Dec. 27.—In most influential quarters it is stated to-day that negotiations tending toward the rumored approaching merger between the Merchants and Royal Banks are suspended just for the present. It is stated that Mr. Fyche is to assume the presidency of the Montreal Safe Deposit Co., control of which he and his friends secured about two years ago, and of which Fyche is a director, and moving spirit. The idea is to build up a large trust company backed by powerful interests, which will be allied with Merchants, Royal and New York interests.

Body Identified

Lancaster, Pa., December 27.—A young woman, calling herself Cecile Hall, who was killed by plunging from the third story window of a house in west 48th street, New York, last night, has been identified as Cecilia Moss, a girl of the city. Her mother Mrs. Thos. Moss, received the following telegram, "Sorry to tell you your daughter has committed suicide. What shall I do with the body?" The telegram was signed by Mrs. M. Webb, No. 202 west 48th street, New York. Mrs. Moss telegraphed back that the body should be sent here.

An Unusual Decision

Halifax, December 28.—The political anomaly still exists in Prince Edward Island. The sheriff of Kings county

yesterday gave a decision in the disputed election case declaring Premier Peters, Liberal, and H. D. McEwen, Conservative, both elected for 515 votes. It is likely that another election will be held.

Drought Relieved

Glenfalls, N. Y., December 27.—The long continued drought which has seriously threatened the water supply in this section of the state was broken by the heavy rain which began to-day. If the rainfall continues 76 hours all danger of a water famine in this and near by towns will be averted as sufficient water will be stored in reservoirs to last until spring.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

The Christmas entertainment of the Sunday school will be held next Friday evening, December 30th, in McDougall Methodist church.

Kinnistino Avenue church will be kept warm from 7 to 8 o'clock for the children, parents and friends to gather, and there will be sleighs provided to convey them to McDougall church.

There will be a small treat provided for the children after the entertainment. The children of the neighborhood are welcome to come whether scholars of the Sunday school or not.

A collection will be taken to give the friends an opportunity of helping towards the music of the school and church.

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ON THE FALL TERM

ing of Classes I and II of the
Edmonton High School for the
Fall Term

The following is the standing by
class of the students of the Ed-
monton High School

Class I—Standing by subjects:
A. J. Huff, K. Lawrence, R. Mc-
Donald, K. George, W. R. Grant, R. Mc-
Donald, A. McNeely.

Class II—Standing by subjects:
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F. Brandon, R. McLaughlin, H. Suth-
erland, D. Trembley, V. Watts, L.
Watts, J. Potter, W. Walker, L.
Looby, C. C. Sutherland, L. Kome-
dy, I. McLeod, C. Young, F. Forin,
R. Beals, F. Doze.
German—Hazel Walker, H. Mitch-
ell, H. B. Carter, H. Sutherland, C.
Schroter, V. Watts, F. Doze, Jessie
Potter.
Geography—M. McKinley, A. Rit-
land, H. Mitchell, J. McLeod, J.
Stewart, D. Bailey, E. Shields and
L. Kennedy equal, H. M. Dawson and
H. Sutherland equal, F. Brandon, A.
E. Dean, H. Goodridge, H. Carter,
C. C. Sutherland and D. Trembley
equal, F. M. Doze and L. Manuel
equal, M. Wallis and A. Johnson equal,
Y. Blaney and F. Forin equal, H.
Walker and V. Watts equal, I. Mc-
Leod, J. A. Brewster, E. McLeod,
M. McKay, and J. Potter equal, L.
Looby, G. Allan, R. Beals, C. Schro-
ter, and L. Watts equal, M. B. Mc-
Callum, R. McLaughlin, L. Gagnon,
Grace Tidbury.
Euclid—J. A. Brewster, E. Shields,
H. Carter, H. Goodridge, H. Mitch-
ell, C. C. Sutherland, M. McKinley,
Y. Blaney, M. Wallis, F. Forin,
and A. E. Dean equal, C. Branton,
I. McLeod and H. Sutherland equal,
L. Richardson, J. Stewart, J. E.
Knott, W. Walker, M. Dawson, L.
Kennedy, R. McLaughlin, R. Beals,
J. McLeod, D. Bailey, E. McLeod, F.
Forin and G. Webster equal, D.
Trembley, W. Wallis and L. Looby
equal, C. Schroter and L. Watts
equal, F. M. Doze, V. Watts, M. B.
McCallum, L. Gagnon, H. Walker
and A. Johnson equal, A. Ritland,
J. Potter, C. Young, G. Allan,
History—M. McKinley, J. McLeod,
M. Wallis, A. E. Dean, H. M. Daw-
son and L. Richardson equal, F. For-
in, H. Mitchell and C. C. Sutherland
equal, J. E. Knott, F. Brandon and
H. Carter equal, A. Ritland, C.
Branton, M. McKay and L. Looby
equal, H. Goodridge, J. A. Brewster,
G. Tidbury, A. Johnson, C. Stev-
art and J. Potter equal, E. Shields
and H. Sutherland equal, C. Young

English Grammar—L. Anderson, L.
Lundy, M. McKinley, K. Wade, H. R.
M. Bragg, E. Burkholder, L. Blaney,
L. Sutherland, M. Sinclair, L. Mc-
Cauley, M. Fraser, M. McKay, G. Sieh,
C. Ritland, L. Doze and M. Satri
equal.
Latin—L. Anderson, F. Parney, K.
Wade, H. R. M. Bragg.
French—Maude McKenney, L. Lun-
dy, L. Anderson, K. Wade, L. Blay-
ney, H. Bragg, G. Sieh, M. Sinclair, B.
Reece.
German—F. Parney, K. Wade, H.
Bragg and G. Sieh equal.
The following is the standing by
subjects of the students of the Ed-
monton High School—Class III—for
the fall term. The standing of
Classes I and II will be published
in tomorrow's Journal.

Literature—J. Knott, J. McLeod,
L. Richardson, M. Wallis, A. Rit-
land, C. C. Sutherland, P. Forin, I.
McLeod, J. Stewart, F. Forin, L.
Looby, A. E. Dean, L. Watts, M. Mc-
Kinley, H. Walker, H. Mitchell, H.
Doze, D. Trembley, H. B. Carter, J.
Potter, G. Allan, M. McKay, C.
Schroter, M. B. McCallum, C. Bren-
ton, D. Bailey, R. Beals, W. Walker,
L. Kennedy, E. McLeod, V. Watts,
M. Dawson, G. Tidbury, L. Blaney,
J. Brewster, H. Goodridge, L. Man-
uel, H. Sutherland, C. Young, A.
Johnson, L. Gagnon, R. McLaughlin,
G. Webster.
Essays—J. Knott, L. Richardson,
A. Ritland, J. Potter, H. Walker,
D. Bailey, C. Schroter, G. Webster,
E. Shields, M. Wallis, L. Kennedy,
F. Forin, F. Doze, J. McLeod, D.
Trembley, J. Stewart, G. Tidbury,
L. Watts, F. Brandon, J. A. Brew-
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Carter, C. C. Sutherland, M. McKay,
H. Sutherland, R. A. Dean, H. Mc-
Kinley, R. Beals, G. Allan, G. Blay-
ney, C. Branton, E. McLeod, R.
Looby, L. Gagnon, H. Goodridge,
A. Johnson.

The Canadian Northwest
Homestead Regulations

Any even numbered section of Do-
minion Lands in Manitoba or the
Northwest Territories, excepting 8
ENTRYS.—Entry may be made per-
the district in which the land to be
taken is situated, or, if the home-
steader desires, he may, on applica-
tion to the Minister of the Interior,
Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immi-
gration, Winnipeg, or the local agent
for the district in which the land is

situate, receive authority for some
one to make entry for him. A fee
of \$10.00 is charged for a homestead
entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES.—A settler
who has been granted an entry for
a homestead is required by the pro-
visions of the Dominion Lands Act
and the amendments thereto, to per-
form the conditions connected there-
with, under one of the following
plans:

(1) At least six months' residence
upon cultivation of the land in
each year during the term of three
years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the
father is deceased) of any person who
is eligible to make a homestead entry
under the provisions of this Act, re-
side upon a farm in the vicinity of
the land entered for by such person
as a homestead, the requirements of
this Act as to residence prior to ob-
taining patent, may be satisfied by
such person residing with the father
or mother.

(3) If a settler has obtained a pa-
tent for the issue of such patent,
countered in the manner pre-
scribed by this Act, and has obtained
entry for a second homestead, the
requirements of this Act as to resi-
dence prior to obtaining patent may
be satisfied by residence upon the
first homestead, if the second home-
stead is in the vicinity of the first
homestead.

(4) If the settler has his permanent
residence upon farming land owned
by him in the vicinity of his home-
stead, the requirements of this Act
as to residence may be satisfied by
residence upon said land.

The term "vicinity" used above is
meant to indicate the same township
or an adjoining or cornering town-
ship.

A settler who avails himself of the
provisions of Clauses 2, 3, or 4, must
or substitute 20 head of stock, with
buildings for their accommodation,
cultivate 30 acres of his homestead,
and have besides 80 acres substan-
tiated.

The privilege of a second entry is
restricted by law to those settlers
only who completed the duties upon
their first homesteads to entitle
them to patent on or before the 2nd
June, 1899.

Every homesteader who fails to
comply with the requirements of the
homestead law is liable to have his
entry cancelled, and the land may be
again thrown open for entry.

Application for patent should be
made at the end of three years, be-
fore the local agent, sub-agent, or
Homestead Inspector. Before making
application for patent the settler
must give six months' notice in writ-
ing to the Commissioner of Dominion
Lands, at Ottawa, of his intention
to do so.

Information.—Newly arrived immi-
grants will receive at the Immigra-
tion Office, in Winnipeg, or at any
Dominion Lands Office in Manitoba
or the Northwest Territories, infor-
mation as to the lands that are open
for entry, and from the officers in
charge, free of expense, advice and as-
sistance in securing land to suit them.
Full information respecting the land,
timber, coal and mineral laws, as well
as respecting Dominion Lands in the
Railway Belt in British Columbia,
may be obtained upon application to
the Secretary of the Department of
the Interior, Ottawa, the Commis-
sioner of Immigration, Winnipeg,
Manitoba, or to any of the Dominion
Lands Agents in Manitoba or the
Northwest Territories.

Deputy Minister of the Interior,
N.B.—In addition to Free Grant
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Range. It burns either Wood or Coal equally well and will
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range made.

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in Kitchen Utensils and truly think we can give you better
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CORMORANTS

Truly all eyes are turned to the Canadian West. The saw mill men of British Columbia want to tax the lumber needed by the prairies \$2.00 per thousand feet. The binder twine manufacturers want to tax the twine needed to tie the wheat and the millers want to tax the wheat itself. To say the least, this is coming it strong and deserves more than passing attention.

Canada is prosperous chiefly because of the progress of settlement in the wheat fields of the West, settlement which has been possible because of favorable conditions. The fable of the goose that laid the golden egg, is very applicable to this case. The saw mill men, the millers and the twine factories have all shared in the general prosperity resulting from the success of the western settlers. They now want to cut in for more than their fair share. To accede to their demands must result in less favorable conditions to the settler and tend against his success and proportionately against the general prosperity. It is not only the western farmer who will suffer if these cormorants are given their way, but every interest and industry in Canada will suffer in proportion as the success of the western farmer is restricted and the progress of the west retarded.

The twine factories consume no native product and have been paying dividends of from ten to one hundred per cent. for the past six years; the saw mills of British Columbia operate under more favorable conditions than any others in the world, and exist because of the demand for their product in the North-west—a demand which has multiplied mills throughout the province so that the boom in saw logs has replaced the boom in gold; the millers of Canada have all the advantage in cheap and abundant water power, the highest quality and most rapidly increasing production of wheat and transportation facilities equal to the best enjoyed by their closest competitors. On no grounds of reason or justice can these industries above all others claim the right to lay special tax upon the western farmer whose success alone makes their existence possible.

BRIEF WESTERN ITEMS

The Saskatoon Phoenix advocates Saskatoon as the capital of the North-West province, should only one province be formed.

Alberta: Miss A. R. Power, of the public school staff, leaves this morning for Fort Saskatchewan.

The board of Baptist mission has secured the appointment of Rev. Martin Burgess of Wabaskia, as missionary to the Scandinavians of Calgary.

Calgary: Albertan: Albion MacKenzie, who for several months past has been one of the staff of the Canadian Bank for Commerce, left yesterday for Red Deer, where he will fill a position in the branch of that bank there. Red Deer is Mr. MacKenzie's home, and he was an employee of the branch there some time before.

Qu'Appelle Progress: While porcupines or ground hogs are common enough down East, they are seldom seen up here. On Tuesday a Ger-

man caught one about nine miles to the south, and brought it into town. His dog had evidently been up against the real thing for its nose and mouth were full of quills. Apropos of this subject, there are many who still believe the fallacy that the porcupine can throw its quills.

Mainland: Mrs. Thos. Richards suffered a very serious accident on Sunday evening last, from the effects of which it will take a long time to recover. She fell from the top to the bottom of the cellar and broke her left leg. The entrance to the cellar is by a trap door in the pantry. It appears that Mrs. Richards had been down the cellar, and on coming up forgot to put down the trap door. A few minutes later she had occasion to go in the pantry, and never suspecting the trap was down, walked right into it. As she fell, one of her limbs dropped between the steps, and as her full weight came down, it snapped the thigh bone.

Wetaskiwin Post: A new town springing up on the prairie. We refer to the rapid growth of the new townsite known as Spaulding. We paid a visit to that point on Saturday last, and were surprised at the rapid strides which are being made, buildings popping up everywhere, whilst only a few weeks has elapsed since the grading on the new extension as far as Spaulding was completed, and only last week the pile driving was finished.

Moose Jaw Times: Another Moose Jaw pioneer has crossed the great divide. Mrs. W. C. Sanders, wife of His Worship, Mayor Sanders, passed peacefully away at eleven o'clock on Monday night. Death was not altogether unexpected or untimely, and came as a relief to many months of helplessness and suffering from paralysis. Deceased was aged 58 years, ten months and thirteen days, and was born near Coburg, Ont. She came to this district in 1884, and has lived here ever since. She was the mother of ten children, five of whom died in infancy. Three sons, William, of Vancouver, Samuel, B. James, of this city, and two daughters, Mrs. J. W. Fletcher, city, and Mrs. A. D. Miller, Regina, are left to mourn her loss.

Herald: The members of the College of Physicians and Surgeons for the North-West Territories have been in session in Calgary for the last two days, and last night concluded their work and left for their homes. Members from outside points were: Dr. Seymour, of Regina; Dr. Birch, of Banff; Dr. Kennedy, of MacLeod, and Dr. Stewart of Duck Lake; the fifth member being Dr. Lafferty, of Calgary. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr. Stewart; Vice, Dr. Kennedy; Treasurer, and registrar, Dr. Lafferty. Matters discussed were mostly of a routine nature. The total number of medical men registered in the Territories is 387, of whom over 30 are non-residents. Dr. Kennedy left for home yesterday afternoon, and Dr. Stewart and Seymour went east last night.

Calgary Herald: The Herald is in receipt of a letter from a man signing his name as John Stewart, resident, King's county, Washington, in which he says he deserted from the N. W. M. P. in 1898, at MacLeod. He wants to return to Alberta and take up a homestead, and does not know if he could be arrested. He thought there was an amnesty proclamation issued on the occasion of the Queen's jubilee which might free him. He seemed very anxious to have the information, and enclosed 10c for a copy of the Herald containing the reply. Colonel Sanders said he did not know of any amnesty proclamation, and from this force. He has caused the arrest of men after many years and chased, but recalled in some letters.

Strathcona Chronicle: Mr. A. Patterson, accompanied by his wife and son, on their return from Edmonton on Tuesday met with an accident that narrowly escaped ending in a fatality. When some distance up the hill this side of the bridge, one

of the whistle from the cutter came unbolled, and in falling struck the horses' heads, frightening them to such an extent that in their plunging one got over the side of the pole, and both horses became unmanageable. Mr. Patterson was thrown out on one side, and Mrs. Patterson and child on the other. Had Mrs. Patterson fallen out a trifle sooner, she would have been precipitated a distance of some thirty feet, amongst logs and trees, and would most probably have been either seriously injured or killed. Fortunately she and the child escaped with a few slight bruises, but Mr. Patterson received some severe bruises on the arms and ribs. The horses in their mad career struck the pole against something that up-ended the cutter, lodging it in a tree more than the full length of the pole from the ground. Just behind them came Mr. J. A. Forsyth in a rig, and as he was passing a sleigh the hind part slid towards him, part of the sleigh striking the wheel, breaking every spoke out of it. The party walked to Strathcona, leading their horses and leaving cutter and rig behind.



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CITY COUNCIL

DISCUSSED TENDERS

The Regular Meeting of the Council held last night

The city council met in regular session in the new council chamber last evening. Acting mayor Cushing presided, and councillors Fraser, May and Picard were present.

MISCELLANEOUS.

W. S. Bolster addressed the council, asking for the removal of the assessment of \$500 against stock owned by him and stored in the warehouse on Namayou avenue. The stock it was pointed out consisted of grain, which is exempt from tax. The assessment was annulled.

J. McLean appeared on behalf of R. Secord, to ask for a reduction of the water rates charged for supplying water to the skating and curling rinks. The charges had hitherto been \$50.00 per year for the curling rink, and \$100 for the skating rink. He understood that, Calgary charged the curling rink \$10. per season, and Brandon \$15. The secretary explained that the rates heretofore charged had been calculated on the basis of cost of the main as, at the time of installation there were no other users on the main and the proprietor had guaranteed interest on the cost of the work. These conditions did not hold now. The matter was referred to the city engineer for report, at the next meeting.

R. Lee asked permission to remove the building now occupied by Drs. Harrison and Nichols to a site west of Revillon Bros., as he wished to erect a three story brick structure on the present site of the frame building. The council were of the opinion that while every reasonable inducement should be given to the erection of brick blocks, no infringement of the fire by-law could be allowed for the sake of precedent. The application was laid on the table for one week.

The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings of the council were read and adopted, and the unfinished business of the previous meetings taken up.

TENDERS FOR EXCAVATION.

The tenders for the work of laying the trunk sewer and the water service extensions in connection therewith came up first. The tenders of R. Whiteman, \$20,969.50, and F. Fry, \$44,975.00, came at the meeting on Thursday last, were again read together with a letter subsequently given in by Mr. Whiteman, stating that in making up his tender he had by error omitted the cost of lead necessary for caulking the joints of the pipe, which would be worth some \$15,000. Unless the council would consider this together with his tender, the latter was withdrawn, as the work could not be done for the money.

The acting mayor thought it best to postpone the discussion until a full meeting of the council should be secured. Councillor Picard wanted the problem handed over to the next council, but councillor May thought it was up to the old council to clean it up. The people of the west end had been promised the water and sewer services, and no delay should be permitted. It was finally left to discussion at an adjourned meeting.

Mr. Fry addressed the council, asking for fair consideration when the tenders were being given.

TENDERS FOR MATERIALS.

The tenders for the materials necessary in the construction of the systems were then taken up, read, and discussed at some length. A committee, consisting of councillors Fraser and May, were finally chosen to go into the details of the tenders with the city engineer, that they might recommend the most favorable tenders at the next meeting.

THE INSURANCE QUESTION.

Acting Mayor Cushing, as chairman of the finance committee reported that application for insurance of the power house had been made, but that an alteration in one of the clauses of the application was sought for the greater safe guarding of the city. The city solicitor reported that the amended application had already gone forward to Winnipeg, for the consideration of the underwriters, and that an answer from them by wire was expected. It was decided in the meantime to have interim receipts issued to safeguard the city in the interval.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

The secretary presented a list of delinquents in the matter of tax paying, and asked for instructions as to procedure. He was instructed to notify persons who have taxes due, and to appear that after January 15 the same will be collected by distraint.

The secretary was instructed to write to the Department of the Interior re sewer rates, which the Department had not yet paid, levied on the city.

UNCOLLECTABLE TAXES.

The secretary presented a list of uncollectable taxes amounting to \$8,400. He was instructed to make a list of these, that they might be dealt with by a general resolution of the council.

COMMUNICATIONS.

By-law No. 4, empowering the mayor and secretary to raise the sum of \$27,000 with which to purchase and extend the Edmonton District Telephone system was finally passed. The solicitor was instructed to draw up a transfer of the property, and the secretary to notify the company that he was prepared to pay over the purchase money and take over the system.

A motion was passed that all the present employees of the company be retained in their present positions. The engineer reported that five men are now employed on the water and sewer services, one on the light system, one by the board of works, and five at the power house.

The secretary was instructed to pay to R. Whiteman \$918.09, the balance due for this year's work, together with the amount of the hold back, on account of last year's contracts, still on hand.

The manager of the Macleod electric light and power company wrote to the municipality recently bought by them from the city. He was only willing to pay \$140 for the two transformers. The council wanted \$200, but decided to accept the offer.

A letter from W. H. Clarke & Co. re their offer of \$2,000 for the old engine and boiler at the power house was laid on the table.

Councillor Grierahn brought up the matter of the gores being formed in the east end of the city by the straightening of Jasper avenue. He thought these should be reserved by the city and be set with trees, as ornamental plots. The council adopted the suggestion, councillor Picard asked to be recorded as voting against it.

MAYOR SHORT PRESENTATION.

Councillors May and Fraser moved that a sum of \$500 be paid to the retiring Mayor Short as a recognition of his services in the interests of the town.

Councillor Picard was opposed to the motion on the ground that the city council could not recoup Mr. Short adequately for his services and he thought a presentation by the members of the council at a banquet would be better than a public grant. The motion was carried.

NEW MAYOR'S SALARY.

The question of the salary to be paid the mayor next year for his services came up and was discussed at length, a recommendation being finally made that the sum be \$800.

FINANCE REPORT.

The finance report was then adopted.

WATERWORKS.

J. W. Huff,	8.40
Rosa Bros. hardware,	3.40
R. H. Whiteman, sewer pipes	161.73
W. H. Gardner, lumber	183.96

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Pay sheet	120.00
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E. Bebo, poles	22.80
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W. K. West, chimney	14.00
North Coal and Lumber Co.	136.53
P. Anderson & Co., brick	31.60

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The council then adjourned to meet again on Saturday evening at eight o'clock.

An American View of Canada

Portland Oregonian.

British North America is closely affixed to the United States; not merely on boundary—though the boundaries are coincident and coterminous, but even more largely in spirit and feeling; in race, in language, in laws and literature. We call ourselves Americans, because we lead in numbers; but Americans or Canadians, we are substantially the same.

Formerly the trend of population was almost wholly from Canada to the United States. Latterly the movement is equalizing itself, and there may be now, or soon, nearly a balance. Certain it is that vast numbers from the United States, during recent years, have been pouring into Canada. From our Pacific north-west states—from Portland and from other places in Oregon; from Seattle, from Spokane and from other places

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The area of wheat land in Canada is immense. It is impossible to set a limit, even by conjecture, to the ultimate production. Railway extension is necessary to it; but that is in progress at a rapid rate. The Grand Trunk system will traverse the whole country, at a general distance of 250 miles north of the Canadian Pacific. Its terminus will be at or near Port Simpson, some 200 miles north of Vancouver. It has grants from the government of the Dominion, and within a few years it will be or will become the means of adding two millions to the population of British America. The Department of the Interior of Canada has a deputy Minister for the Interior who works from the Canadian end; another who works from the United States, and a third who works in Europe. In addition to these individual workers, the Canadian Pacific railroad has built magnificent offices at Vancouver, near London, perhaps the greatest centre in that great city, and the Canadian government has opened a regular immigration office at Charing Cross, which is in the same locality as the Canadian Pacific offices, and this immigration office receives from 600 to 700 letters a day from all over the world. One letter was for 5,000 men for farm work in eastern Canada, where that supply of labor had been almost exhausted by the rush for the further western wheat fields.

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Towns of Yesterday

Rev. T. C. Buchanan, superintendent of Methodist home missions in Alberta, returned last week from a visit of inspection along the Canadian Northern line as far as Lloydminster.

On his way east he turned north to make a call at Pakan, where missionary work of an extensive and varied character, is being carried on under the supervision and with the active work of Dr. Lawford, who was sent to Pakan some years ago by the Methodist missionary society as a medical missionary. Pakan is one of the oldest Methodist missions on the Saskatchewan, having been established in the sixties by Rev. Geo. McDougall, as a half-breed settlement, and Indian mission. At that time it was named Victoria. But on account of a possible confusion in postal matters, with Victoria City B. C., it has been deemed advisable to substitute for Victoria, the name Pakan, thus honoring the principal Cree chief of that locality, who has always been a friend of the whites, and favorable to civilization and Christianity. Pakan is on the north bank of the Saskatchewan, and although an important point in the early days, is now somewhat isolated from the course of travel. Dr. Lawford took charge of the mission shortly after the spread of Russian settlement had extended across the Saskatchewan. In his capacity as medical adviser he saw the great necessity of some means of treating the sick other than that afforded in the homes of the poor Russian settlers. As a result of his representations, the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church has established a nursing home and school on the White Mud Creek, about ten miles east of the original Victoria settlement, where buildings have been erected, and about twenty thousand dollars, and an excellent work is being done in the nursing of the sick from far and near, and teaching the children of the immediate vicinity. The Indian charge is Messrs. Munro and Mrs. Edwards. They are doing a useful work in an otherwise neglected field and one that offers scope for very wide expansion.

From Pakan Mr. Buchanan turned south to Beaver Lake. He found the settlements there prosperous and contented. Near the southeast corner of the lake, coal has been discovered. The local mines are being worked, the coal is of good quality and the seams are of a good workable thickness. The coal is sold to the surrounding farmers and some of it is hauled to Vegreville, where it is used in the sawmills. This discovery will add greatly to the advantage of an already favored settlement.

From Beaver Lake Mr. Buchanan drove east to Vegreville on the line of the Canadian Northern railway. Vegreville is a live and growing town, but the fact that it is some four miles from the railway line as graded, makes its future as a residential location to say the least, uncertain. A considerable stretch of the grade is finished in the vicinity of Vegreville, and going eastward there are finished stretches all the way to Lloydminster, chiefly in the low ground, as the high land can be worked earlier in the spring. Everything points to the resumption of work at the earliest possible moment in spring. Settlers are scattered all along the railway line eastward, and from Vegreville to some distance east of Birch Lake, the country is practically settled up. There is a well travelled road all the way eastward along the railway line.

A new town called Manville has been started sixty miles east of Vegreville. As yet it is very much in embryo, and consists of a post office, store and stopping place. The stopping place is kept by Burch & Fuller.

Between Manville and Lloydminster, a large proportion of the railway grade is finished, and the work looks forward confidently to the track reaching there early next year. Business seems to be good and the settlers generally hopeful. The town has quite a creditable appearance.

Mr. Buchanan returned westward along the railway as far as Birch Lake, and then visited a smaller lake a few miles to the south, called Lake Alice, where there is a good settlement.

From Vegreville he turned south-west to visit the new town of Sparling, at the end of the grade on the C. P. R. Westward branch. The town is at the crossing of Stony Creek, and is building up rapidly, although the rails are not yet laid on the branch. There are several general stores, two hotels, two lumber yards, a hardware store, two blacksmiths' shops, etc. The surrounding country has a very fine appearance, and is well settled. From Sparling Mr. Buchanan drove to Wetaskiwin, and then came on to Edmonton. He went south to Calgary on Friday last.

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ROBERT OCHSNER, SOLE PROPRIETOR

LOCAL

on time.

Salvation Army held their Christmas entertainment in racks this evening.

new school building at Fort Shevan will be formally opened and entertainment to-morrow evening.

stormy weather which began Wednesday of last week sent the farmers to the stock, both cattle and horses, generally out and rustling for themselves up to that time.

Those who were at the opera had one of the best dramatics of the season. The Summers Company presented Bartley's four act comedy, "Why Men Divorce" in a most pleasing manner. Tonight the bill is "Was Gaulty."

W. D. Graham, late of the Sturgeon, writing from London, England, under date of December 2, says: "After visiting the Canadian cities of interest, and also some of the American ones, which I enjoyed very much, I sailed from Portland, Me., a Roman of the Dominion Line, we were thirteen days on the water, it had a fine trip. I am delighted with the appearance of Old England, and will sail again for Canada in a few weeks." Mr. Graham is an old time Edmonton man, and his many friends and acquaintances here wish him a most enjoyable and speedy trip home to Edmonton, the city of the Far West.

PERSONAL

J. E. Bull, of Calgary, is at the Alberta.

J. A. Stovel left on Monday for Ontario.

J. Peatty, of Whitefish Lake, is at the Queens.

W. A. Nagar left for a trip to Ontario on Monday.

Mrs. W. B. Poncher left on Sunday morning for Durham, Grey county, Ont., for a winter's visit among old friends.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

The annual entertainment of the Presbyterian Sunday school took place last evening. Supper for the children was served in the basement from 6 till 8 p. m. The programme was rendered in the church commencing at 8 o'clock. There was a large attendance. H. W. B. Douglas, superintendent of the Sunday school presided as chairman. Rev. D. G. McQueen, pastor of the church, gave a short address. The programme was made up of vocal and instrumental selections, recitations, dialogues, etc. The proceedings were concluded with the national anthem.

The following was the programme: Christmas Carol, Mr. Reid's class. Recitation, A. Huff. Chorus, Miss Almer's class. Dialogue, Mr. Whitelaw's class. Song, Grace Richardson. Song, Vera McLennan. Recitation, Gordon McKenzie. Mandoline solo, with piano accompaniment, Misses Sadie and Florence McCrimmon.

Song, Clifford Crafts. Dialogue, Mr. McSwan's class. Chorus, Mr. Craft's class. Recitation, Ina Bain. Dialogue, Miss Boyle's class. Song, Miss Jessie Potter. Mandoline solo and piano accompaniment, Misses Sadie and Florence McCrimmon.

Recitation, Katie McCrimmon. Song, Jessie Cameron. Dialogue and Tableaux, Misses Fern, McCauley, Tidsbury and Potter.

Recitation, Cecil Elliott. Chorus, Mrs. McDougall's class. "National Anthem."

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J. McKinnon.
A. Brown.
J. H. Pearson.
R. Dewar, skip, 13.

C. Nairn.
A. E. Moore.
A. B. Chisholm.
C. W. Mathers, skip, 8.

W. A. Deyl.
F. Goodie.
Lindsay.
J. Mac, skip, 7.

J. Kennedy.
O. M. Biggar.
R. W. Supple.
A. C. Fraser, skip, 6.

The draw for to-night is: Ibbotson v. Campbell, Morris v. Galbraith, Emery v. Lauder.

On Thursday evening the first game in the Blue Ribbon Cup competition are posted as follows: Dowsett v. Kinnaird, Larue v. Carmichael, Irwin v. Dawson.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

QUEENS—
R. Wilkinson, Star.
V. Cousineau, Fort Saskatchewan.
Mrs. F. J. Shields and Miss Shields, W. R. Morrison, Telfordville.
W. B. Wright, Agricola.
J. Beatty, Whitefish Lake.
A. A. Loftus, J. A. Smith, B. J. Manzer, S. Saucy, A. C. Lariviere, Q. Paradis, City.
F. Aselin, Riviere qui Barre.
H. Vigne, Horse Hills.
R. Burton, Mawassan.
C. H. Chapman, Lacombe.
W. E. Pye, Wetaskiwin.
G. Rogers, Innisfail.
M. Stretch, Ponoka.
L. Legasse, Morinville.
H. Paradis, Lamoureux.

ALBERTA—
J. E. Bull, H. N. White, Calgary.

WINDSOR—
J. E. C. Bremner, Clover Bar.
K. C. E. Mourey, G. T. P.
W. A. Logan, Mfrs. Logan, city.

THE WEATHER

Wednesday, December 28—
Max., 9.
Min., 30.
Noon, 31.
Bar., 29.63.

Following are given the maximum and minimum temperatures recorded for the forty-eight hours up to 6 a. m., yesterday:

Calgary, 4, -6.
Battleford, 14, -24.
Medicine Hat, 10, -24.
Swift Current, 8, -16.
Qu'Appelle, 16, -26.
Minnedosa, 2, -24.
Winnipeg, 6, -20.
Winnipeg, 6, -20.

Following are the maximum and minimum temperatures recorded during the forty-eight hours until 6 a. m., to-day:

Calgary, 30, 20.
Prince Albert, 2, -8.
Battleford, -6, -8.
Medicine Hat, 18, 14.
Swift Current, 12, 4.
Qu'Appelle, -8, -13.
Minnedosa, 6, -28.
Winnipeg, -14, -26.
Port Arthur, 8, -4.

DEATHS

PHILLIPS—At the residence of James McDonald, College avenue, on Wednesday Dec. 28th, Miss Emma B. Phillips.
The funeral will leave the late residence of the deceased at 2:30 o'clock on Friday afternoon for the Methodist church. Interment at the Edmonton cemetery.

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